

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Chief Administrative Officer

At its meeting held May 13, 2003, the Board took the following action:

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The following item was called up for consideration:

Supervisor Knabe's recommendation to support AB 1395 (Lowenthal), legislation which would create minimum standards for public school restroom facilities and require each school district to develop a Restroom Facilities Maintenance and Improvement Plan; and instruct the Chief Administrative Officer to send correspondence to Governor Davis and the Los Angeles County Legislative Delegation urging support and quick passage of AB 1395.

Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"I recommend that the Board support amending Assembly Bill 1395 to establish enforcement authority for local health department agencies to provide annual routine inspection of public school restrooms, and to recover their inspection cost from the public schools or by specific State appropriations.

"I further recommend that the Board support Senate Bill 892 (Murray), legislation that would require each city or county health department to develop a plan for regular inspection of the school restrooms in its jurisdiction."

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Dr. Jonathan Fielding, Director of Public Health, addressed the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried, Supervisors Knabe and Antonovich's aforementioned recommendations were continued one week to May 20, 2003.

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